

Catholic Research Resources Alliance: Implementing the Catholic Portal
July 14-15, 2009
Agenda

Meeting site:

Klarchek Information Commons

Loyola University Lakeshore Campus

6525 N. Sheridan Road Chicago, IL

Campus map at http://www.luc.edu/values/campus/pdfs/lsc_may09.pdf

Hotel: [Hilton Garden Inn](#), Evanston, IL: 847-475-6400

List of participants: <https://catholic-portal.library.nd.edu/admin/docs/Participants.pdf> ("catholic" "portal")

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Please note: times are Central time (CDT)

Monday, July 13 Arrive, no planned events

Tuesday, July 14

Juice and coffee provided in the meeting room.

9:00 – 9:45 Welcome, Introductions (Jennifer Younger, ND)

- Welcome, introductions, desired outcomes
- Welcome Pat Lawton, CRRA Digital Project Librarian
- Adopt agenda
- Update on recent CRRA events

9:45 – 11:00 Pilot Project

Discuss current work on bringing in more records

- Pilot Project overview: Pat Lawton (CRRA), Eric Lease Morgan (ND)
- Panel: Matt Blessing (Marquette), Ann Hanlon (Marquette), Kim Kelley (Catholic), Susan Leister (Georgetown), Moderated by Pat Lawton (CRRA)

11:00-11:15 Break

11:15 – 12:00 Collection Scope

Moderated by: Bob O'Neill (Boston) and Alan Krieger (ND)

- Affirm purpose and statement of themes
- Affirm collection scope

12:00 – 1:15 Lunch

Tuesday, July 14 (continued)

1:15 - 3:15 Digital Access

Discuss digital access issues, including data ingestion and search functionality.

- Demonstrate new Portal platform, VuFind, on test site: <http://vufind.library.nd.edu/>
Eric Lease Morgan (ND)
- Discuss search functionality. Panel: Kathy Cummings (ND), Stephen Spatz (Villanova), Moderated by Kevin Cawley (ND)

3:15 – 4:00 Break (optional guided tour of Information Commons)

4:00 – 5:00 Next Steps, Strategic Plan

Review and affirm proposed strategic goals for implementing the portal, Phase 1. Pat Lawton (CRRA)

5 pm Adjourn; Meet at 6 pm for Group Dinner

Wednesday, July 15

Juice and coffee provided in the meeting room.

9:00 – 10:30 Future Directions I

- Review the Strategic Plan for Phase 1; Discuss and affirm long-term goals. Pat Lawton (CRRA)
- Discuss Pilot Project next steps: Eric Lease Morgan, (ND), Pat Lawton (CRRA)
 - Continue with record loading projects
 - Focus on user-centered design
 - Identify local teams for testing, using, and evaluating the Portal
 - Gather input from scholars

10:30 – 10:45 Break

10:45 – Noon Future Directions II

- Catholic Peacebuilding Network (CPN): Doug Archer (ND), Jean McManus (ND)
- Wrap up: Collaboration and communication in the coming year: Pat Lawton (CRRA)
- Closing remarks: Jennifer Younger (ND)

Noon Adjourn (Lunch is optional)